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To the Society of GRUB-STREET.

Gentlemen,

AS I am now in the country, at a great diſtance from any good library, and ſo have no opportunity of conſulting ſeveral of the Britiſh and Saxon Hiſtorians, from whom the ſequel of RAPIN's *Hiſtory* was compil'd, it is my intention to proceed no farther in the examination of it. But tho' I drop RAPIN, I will not let a Writer in your *Journal* (No. 331, 332.) paſs, without making ſomn Remarks on his elaborate performance. It ſeems I have not ſhewn complaiſance enough to the Scotiſh nation. A greater deference would not have been conſiſtent with my name. I am willing to believe the offended Scot underſtands mine, tho' he has miſtaken his own name; for he writes it CALEDON; which implies, that the ancient inhabitants of North Britain were called *Caledones*; whereas, it is certain, that they were called *Caledonii*, and conſequently that his name is CALEDONIUS. Whether CALEDON be not a miſnomer, I ſubmit to your judgment; and if it be, what an Advocate have you got for the Antiquity of the Scots, that does not know his own name? HIBERNUS, one of your Correſpondents, has given him ſufficient reaſon to reflect on his own motto, and afforded me a ſufficient excuſe for not entering into the diſpute. But ſince I made the Remarks, it may be expected that I ſhould ſay ſomething in their defence. CALEDON ſhall be the ſubject of my next Letter, RAPIN of this.

Pag. 32. *Hengiſt making bitter complaints that the Saxons were not duly paid according to agreement, boldly demands the arrears, threatning, without prompt and full payment, to do himſelf juſtice.* The Saxons pretended they were not well ſupply'd with proviſions in their quarters. *Proteſtantur, niſi profuſior ſibi alimentorum copia daretur, ſe cuncta inſulæ rupto fœdere loca vaſtaturos.* Bede I. 15.

Pag. 33. *All their* (the Saxon) *Hiſtorians unanimouſly affirm, that this very year* 455, *immediately after the battle* (of Eglesford) *Hengiſt firſt took upon him the title of King of Kent.* Henry of Huntingdon ſays, that *Hengiſt* erected his kingdom *after the battle of Crecanford*, that is, in 457, in which year, and after which battle, the beginning of the kingdom of Kent is placed in *Mag. Britannia* I. 76. Echard alſo obſerves, that the beginning of the kingdom of Kent is generally dated from the victory at *Crecanford*, in the year 457. Sir Henry Spelman was of the ſame opinion. *At the battle of Crecanford Vortimer was entirely defeated.* Henry of Huntingdon, who is one of RAPIN's vouchers of this fact, ſays *the battle of Crecanford* was fought after Vortimer's death, if Collier does not miſreport him. *Ecc. Hiſt.* I. 53. Echard aſſerts, that the tranſactions of theſe dark times are variouſly related; but that moſt agree, that after the death of Vortimer, in the year 457, Hengiſt fought the Britons at *Crecanford*.

Pag. 35. *After the defeat of Ella, about a year before the death of Hengiſt, Eſcus had ſent him into the North.* —— Read, *Eſcus had* been *ſent into the North.*

Pag. 36. *Ella brought with him his three ſons, Baldulph, Colgrin and Ciſſa.* Note 2 refers to *Baldulph* and *Colgrin*, after which words the figure (2) ſhould have been put.

Pag. 37. *All the Hiſtorians agree, that Ambroſius fell in battle.* This is not true; for ſome of them report, that Paſcentius hir'd a Saxon to poiſon *Ambroſius* at Wincheſter, which accordingly took effect. *Galfr.* L. 5. C. 6. *Matth. Weſt. Flores Hiſt. A. D.* 479.

Pag. 38. *Cerdic taking advantage of Arthur's abſence, and of the Angles.* Read, *and* of the arrival *of the Angles.* —— *The kingdom of Weſſex was bounded on the weſt by the Severn:* rather, by the *Severn-ſea* and part of Danmonium.

Pag. 39. *Cerdic dy'd in the year* 534, *ſixteen years after his firſt coronation.* According to RAPIN, he was firſt crowned in 519, ſo that the interval between his coronation and death was but 15 years. —— *We learn from the Letters of Caſſidorus.* Read, *Caſſiodorus.*

Pag. 41. *In* 571, *forty years after his arrival in Britain, Uffa aſſum'd the title of King of the Eaſt Angles.* According to RAPIN, *Uffa* arrived in Britain in the year 527, ſo that the interval between his arrival and coronation was forty four years. —— *Ambaſſadors were ſent* (by the Britons) *to Aidan King of Scotland, to engage him in their quarrel.* If we may credit the Scotch Hiſtorians Boetius and Buchanan, *Aidan* ſolicited the alliance *of the Britons*, to ſupport him againſt the united forces of the Picts and Saxons. —— *The Saxon Princes put their monarch* (Ceaulin) *at the head of a much more numerous army than the former.* According to Boetius and Buchanan, the remains of *Ceaulin*'s or *Cenlin*'s army were joined by the forces of Edelfred King of Northumberland, and of Brudeus or Brideus King of the Picts. RAPIN does not begin to ſpeak of *Edelfred*, whom he calls *Adelfred*, before the year 586, and yet places the defeat of *Aidan* between the years 578 and 584. —— *Aidan retiring into Scotland after his defeat.* RAPIN in his Note on theſe words affirms, that ſome ſay he was ſlain in the battle; and for this he quotes *Buchanan*, L. 5. whereas *Buchanan* is ſo far from ſaying this, that he places *Aidan*'s death many years after that battle, in 604.

Pag. 43. *Sampſon the elder being biſhop of Dol in Armorica, was ſent for into Britain by Ambroſius, and made archbiſhop of York.* On the contrary, he was firſt *archbiſhop of York*; from whence, upon the invaſion of the Saxons, he fled to *Armorica*, and was made *archbiſhop of Dol. Collier* I. 58. —— *The Saxon wars obliged Sampſon the younger to return home* to Armorica. This is a miſtake; for he was born at Diſed in Wales. *Fleury* IV. 230. —— *Patern ſtudied* 20 *years in Ireland.* RAPIN's ſtate of the Britiſh church is only an abridgment of *Collier*, who ſays *Petroc ſpent twenty years in the ſtudy of divinity in Ireland*, which by miſtake RAPIN applies to *Patern*. 'Tis true, *Patern* alſo was ſometime in *Ireland*; but it does not appear, that he *ſtudied twenty years* in that country. —— *Kentigern was abbot of Glaſcow.* He was at firſt *abbot*, but afterwards *biſhop of Glaſcow.* For *Camden* informs us, that about the year 560, *Kentigern biſhop of Glaſcow* fleeing from Scotland, inſtituted an epiſcopal ſee and a monaſtery at a town, call'd in Britiſh Lhan Elwy, in Engliſh St. *Aſaph*, p. 823. *Kentigern* was the firſt biſhop of Lhan Elwy. *Collier* I. 60. — *Aſaph was made abbot of the monaſtery, founded in Cambria.* He alſo ſucceeded Kentigern in the ſee of Lhan Elwy, called St. Aſaph from him, who was the ſecond biſhop of it.

Pag. 44. *The prieſts were murder'd on the altars. Bede* ſays, between the altars. *Sacerdotes inter altaria trucidabantur.* —— *The biſhop with his flock.* The biſhops with their flocks. *Præſules cum populis.* —— *No one daring to give their ſcattered bodies an honourable burial.* Nor was there any one that would bury them after they had been cruelly ſlain. *Nec erat qui crudeliter interemptos ſepulturæ traderet.* Bede.

Here RAPIN concludes his ſecond book, and here I ſhall put an end to my *Remarks*, after I have explained one, that I made in my firſt Letter. In *Journal* 320, col. 1, paragr. 5. I hinted that RAPIN had miſtaken the ſenſe of *Tacitus*. To put this matter in a clearer light, let it be obſerved, that *A. Plautius*, the firſt Roman governor in this iſland, conquered moſt of the country ſouth of the Thames. The States that were not reduced, made an alliance with the Romans. Plautius was ſucceeded by P. Oſtorius, who finding the Britons that lived beyond the Severn and Avon had invaded the allies of the Romans, to prevent the like incurſions for the future, reſolved to poſt his army on thoſe two rivers. *Cinctoſque caſtris Antonam et Sabrinam fluvios cohibere parat.* It is evident, that *cinctos* here agrees with *fluvios*. It cannot refer to the Britons, unleſs *inter* be inſerted. *Cinctoſque caſtris* inter *Antonam et Sabrinam fluvios cohibere parat.* Thus undoubtedly RAPIN underſtood theſe words. But as I do not know any edition or MS. that has *inter*, ſo I do not think that the ſenſe will admit it. For what *Britons* ſhould Oſtorius confine or coop up between theſe rivers? Not the Britons on the ſouth of the Thames; for they quietly ſubmitted to the Roman government: nor the Britons that liv'd between the Severn and Avon; for they were too few to be formidable to the Romans: nor the Britons that liv'd beyond thoſe rivers, (of whom indeed *Tacitus* does here ſpeak,) for for how could Oſtorius force them within thoſe narrow bounds, or how could thoſe bounds contain them? I am

Your humble ſervant,

June 12, 1736. PHILALETHES.

In No. 334, col. 2, l. 3, read *Eleutherius.*

Royal Exchange, June 27, 1736.

Gentlemen,

IF you would be ſo good as to let me borrow room in your next *Journal* for a few lines by way of *Puff*, as your friend L——n, the Tranſlator or Cobler of the French Language calls it, which I'll give you my word is only to prepare the City Viſitors with an appetite to my *Ragout* of the Vaux-hall Advertiſements, which will be cook'd up into a twelve-penny Ordnary, and be ready for ſerving up in a few days, and I hope will ſit eaſier on the ſtomachs of the Citizens than Ham, Beef, or Chickens, at an exorbitant price. But in the interim, I wou'd beg his anſwers to the following Queries, who am

Your humble ſervant,

FREEDOM.

Quer. 1. If an *inferior perſon*, as he calls him, pays one ſhilling for going into the Gardens, why ſhould he not ſit in the ſame ſeat with a man of quality who pays no more at his entrance.

Quer. 2. If his 34 drawers are ſuch knaves, as he declares they are, who wou'd rob their maſters of ten pence out of a ſhilling, or the whole ſhillings, who muſt expect to be robb'd, when the maſter has prevented their future progreſs, by ſecuring the ſhilling to himſelf?

Quer. 3. From whom could he gain his intelligence of thoſe great numbers of people, who might probably be induced to flock to his Gardens in hot and ſultry weather, that it would be impoſſible to accommodate them, which would cauſe ſuch a great hurry, as wou'd for ever ruin his Entertainment? I am of opinion, his Entertainment may go on without being ruined by a croud of Citizens, by paying a ſhilling for ſitting under his trees.

Quer. 4. If he thinks his lighted lamps in hot and ſultry weather will cool the air, or has any other advantages, I deſire he would let it be known to the publick, that they may know what they have for their money.

P. S. If the taking the ſhilling hath proved advantagious, no doubt, but in hot and ſultry weather the price will be doubled.

Gentlemen,

YOUR Correſpondent who ſigns himſelf FREEDOM, hath promiſed to make his *Remarks* on Vaux-hall, and other publick Entertainments; in which we are to ſuppoſe he will point out the beauties and decorum on the one hand, and the impoſitions and ill conduct on the other: it is therefore to be wiſh'd, that when he ſpeaks of the uſage of Play-houſes, he will ſet forth the impoſition upon the Audience, in making us pay 2 s. in the Gallery, at an old Play and a long tedious Performance, which in the Bills is called an *Entertainment*: but to a perſon who goes frequently to the Theatre, it is very hard to pay 6 d. extraordinary, to ſee the ſame monkey-tricks over and over again. This practice is no more reaſonable and juſt, than if a Cook ſhould add ſix-penny worth of ſoup to a cutlet that was beſpoke, and oblige the cuſtomer to pay for it, tho' he hated ſoup. By this homely compariſon, I mean, it would be but common juſtice to have the advance money return'd to thoſe who go out as ſoon as the Play is ended.

This indeed hath been done at Drury-lane, when their Pantomime hath been entirely new, and their Play old and dull; when the houſe was full of ſuch who are charmed only with novelty.—But this is a falſe ſhew of fair-dealing, and will ever be ſo eſteem'd, 'till we ſee the ſame uſage when their pretended *Entertainments* are worn out.—As to indecorum, I think it a great one; that while noiſy quarrels are carried on above ſtairs, the Actors ſhould continue the Dialogue on the ſtage, ſo that a good ſcene is ſometimes quite loſt.

Theſe hints perhaps are needleſs; but as I am an admirer of a good Play well perform'd, I often frequent the Old Houſe, and have ſuffered ſo much by the abovementioned enormities, that I could not be ſilent, who am,

Your very humble ſervant,

Strand, June 24, 1736. HABERDASHER.

P. S. Mr. C——R junior, tho' a good Player, is apt to ſpoil a ſcene in the *Alchymiſt*, by playing with a phial in his dumb ſhew, which is a great affront to the worthy Mr. MILLS ſenior; for *Dapper*'s impertinent geſtures take off the attention from what *Face* is ſaying to the other Cullies.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

DP. *Daily Poſt.*
DJ. *Daily Journal.*
DA. *Daily Advertiſer.*
LP. *London Daily Poſt.*
G. *Daily Gazetteer.*
LE. *London Evening Poſt.*

Hyp-Oratorial Advertiſements and Puffs in April.

Hyp Advertiſements 5 : Oratorial ditto 16 : in all 21. ——Hyp Puffs 4 : Oratorial ditto 12 : in all 16. —— ncreaſed in the Advertiſements 3 : in the Puffs 2.

THURSDAY, *June* 24. The right hon. the Lord Viſc. Glenorchy, is to go governor of Barbadoes. *LP.*

Yeſterday Mr. Laur. Victorine, ironmonger, Mr. Sim. Swynſen, fiſhmonger, Mr. Joſh. Barrat, weaver, Mr. Rob. Ferguſon, glaſs-ſeller, and Mr. Tho. Diggles, woolman, who had been nominated ſheriffs, paid their fines; as did Mr. Joſ. Shaw on monday. *DP. DA.* —— *The* DJ. *and* G. *mention only the four firſt.*

The commiſſioners for Weſtminſter bridge have appointed July 23d to conſider of a plan: there are about 8 plans prepared, one of which is for an iron bridge. *DJ.* —— *The* water-men *think this* the plan *of ſome* foreign leaden projector.

Yeſterday morning about 4, two ſmugglers well mounted and richly laden, were ſtopp'd on London-bridge by ſome officers; but the runners drew upon their oppoſers, and fought ſo deſperately, that they got clean off with all their loading: the new Act againſt them takes date to-morrow. *DP.*

Yeſterday in the afternoon as a perſon was paſſing by Fleet-bridge with a noſegay in his boſom, a fellow ſnatch'd it from him: he immediately attack'd the rogue and beat him, but in the fray had his pocket pick'd of his watch. *DP.* —— *For the future he were better carry his* watch in his boſom, *and his* noſe-gay in his pocket.

Yeſterday a ſhoemaker's apprentice in Little Britain, who had met with a diſappointment in ſome amour, caſtrated himſelf, &c. —— The grave-digger of Stepney church was whipp'd three times round the church-yard, for taking bodies out of their graves. *LP.*

Married, a few days ſince, John Yate, of the Inner-Temple, Eſq; to Mrs. Vanham, a widow lady of 30,000 l. fortune. *LP.* —— On monday, Phil. Sherrard, of Ipſwich, Eſq; to Miſs Morpeth, a young Lady of fine accompliſhments and a plentiful fortune. *DP.*

Died on tueſday, at his houſe in Suſſex, Sir Rob. Fagg, Bart. and is ſucceeded by his only ſon, now Sir Robert, member for Steyning. *DA.* —— At the Bolt and Tun inn in Fleet-ſtreet, where he had lodg'd near 40 years, Capt. Tho. Hayes, aged 91, who had his left ear cut off for forging a bond of 560 l. he is reckon'd to have died worth upwards of 40 000 l. *LP.*—Yeſterday, Capt. Haynes, who had his ears cut off with Japhet Crook, alias Sir Peter Stranger, &c. *DA.* —— *The* two rogues *were not* ſet together by the ears, *and therefore did not loſe them* together.

FRIDAY, *June* 25. Yeſterday the news that the Princeſs of Orange is with child came confirm'd. *DJ.*

The Lady Louiſa Bertie, married lately to Capt. Bludworth, yeſterday kiſſed the Princeſs of Wales's hand, on being appointed a Lady of the chamber. *DJ.* —— Of the bed-chamber. *G.* —— And the Lady of the Lord Archibald Hamilton was declared miſtreſs of the robes. *DJ.* —— Will be made, &c. *G.*

Yeſterday at a court of Huſtings at Guildhall, Will. Rous, citizen and ſalter, and Mr. Benj. Rawlings, citizen and apothecary, were elected ſheriffs. *DP.* &c.

We hear that the right hon. the Earl of Orkney is appointed General of the marines. *DJ.* —— In the room of the Earl of Peterborough. *DJ.* — This is without foundation, that poſt having terminated with the Earl of Peterborough's life. *LP. June* 26.

Yeſterday morning the right hon. the Earl of Pontefract, with his Counteſs, &c. embark'd at Graveſend for the court of the Prince of Orange. *DP. DA.*

Yeſterday the inhabitants that liv'd in the buildings adjoining to the ſheep-market, Weſt-Smithfield, quitted the premiſes, the ſaid buildings being to be pull'd down in order to enlarge the market. *DA.*

Married, on ſunday, at Hampton-court, Chriſt. Aſhe, of Preſton, Eſq; to Miſs Ambroſe, an agreeable young Lady, with a fortune of 9000 l. *DP.* —— Yeſterday —— Hunter, Eſq; to Miſs Boſanquet, a Lady of excellent accompliſhments and a large fortune. *DP.* —— A very agreeable young Lady, with 10,000 l. *DA. LP.*

Died on monday, in his 92d year, near Curry Mallett in Somerſetſhire, Edw. Bunham, Eſq; a very great Virtuoſo. *DJ.* —— Yeſterday, near Iſlington, Mr. Godfrey, the greateſt bacon butcher in his time (having in one year killed above 5000 hogs.) *DP.*

Sir Rob. Fagg died on tueſday, in his 70th year, at the Chequer inn on Horley-heath in Surrey. *DP.*

On wedneſday, Mr. Evans, a barber in Balwin's-gardens, hang'd himſelf in his ſhop. *DJ.* —— Ric. Wilſont footman to an honourable Lady in Groſvenor-ſquare, being diſmiſſed for breaking open one of her letters, went to a neighbouring ale-houſe, made his Will, took a doſe of poiſon, and died immediately. *DA.*

SATURDAY, *June* 26. The right hon. Steph. Poyntz, Eſq; has reſign'd his receiverſhip in the Exciſe, in favour of his brother Will. Poynts, Eſq; *LP.* — Sam. Grey, Eſq; ſecretary to the commiſſioners of the Exciſe, is appointed one of the commiſſioners of his Majeſty's revenues in Ireland, in the room of Will. Harriſon, Eſq; deceas'd. *LP.*

Mr. John Dolignon, gentleman to the Duke of Marlborough, is made one of the ſewers of the chamber to his majeſty, in the room of Mr. Orillard, late ſteward to his grace. *DA.*

Yeſterday a pardon paſs'd the great ſeal, for ſeveral poor priſoners remaining in goals in the Norfolk circuit. *LP.*

Yeſterday being the firſt day of Trinity Term, the Lord Chancellor, &c. went in the uſual ſtate to Weſtminſter-hall. *DP. DA.*

On tueſday Mr. Pet. Hayward of Canterbury was appointed one of the maſters extraordinary of the court of Chancery. *G.*

Yeſterday at a court of the governors of Chriſt-hoſpital, Mr. Will. Tarver, was choſen maſter porter of the Old Spaniſh-hall in Blackwell-hall, and Ric. Harris beadle. *DJ. DA. LP.*

Yeſterday on a motion in the King's-bench, for Mrs. Eliz. Barker to have a new trial, a rule was granted for the defendant to ſhew cauſe why there ſhould not be a new tryal. *LP. DA.*

Yeſterday, the corps of his excellency Mr. Woodward, lately Envoy at the court of Warſaw, was landed from on board the Joſiah. *DJ.* —— In a ſuperb coffin with crimſon velvet and richly adorned with gold laces and plates, &c. *DP.* — It was carried to Mr. Morris's and laid in a curious coffin, &c. *DA.*

Laſt wedneſday a race was run on Chelſea common, between a bay mare belonging to Mr. Edwards of Brumpton, and a jack aſs belonging to Mr. Evans at Hyde-park corner, 5 times round the common, for 10 guineas, which was won by the former by half a length: the odds were 4 to 2 on the aſs. *DP.* —— *Thus the* Bay, *as well as the* Grey Mare, *was the better horſe, when* match'd *with a* Jack Aſs.

Died on wedneſday, at Husbands, the ſeat of her father the right hon. the Lord Lymington in Hampſhire, the hon. Miſs Wallop, a young Lady of moſt amiable qualifications. — On thurſday night, in New Bond-ſtreet, of the ſmall-pox, Gower Fleming, Eſq; a young gent. of a large eſtate in Suſſex. *DA.*

On thurſday night, a young woman, with a child, having been to viſit her husband in Ludgate priſon, ſlipp'd her foot in going down ſtairs, and falling backwards fractured her skull and died ſoon after. *LP.*

MONDAY, *June* 28. Yeſterday the rev. Dr. Young preached before her Majeſty, the Prince and Princeſs of Wales, &c. —— And the rev. Dr. Day before his highneſs the Duke, &c. *DJ.*

The report of Lord Baltimore is entirely without foundation: the hon. Col. Schutz being Lord Warden. *DA.*

A few days ago his Majeſty's royal bounty of 1000 l. was iſſued out of the Treaſury to the Kirk of Scotland, for the propagating of Presbytery in the Highlands and northern parts of that kingdom, where there are ſtill ſome remains of Epiſcopacy, and many meeting-houſes, where Divine ſervice is performed according to the rites and ceremonies of the church of England. *LP.*

We hear that the right hon. the Lord Viſc. Gallway is appointed to be one of the commiſſioners of his Majeſty's revenues in Ireland, in the room of the hon. Will. Harriſon, Eſq; deceas'd. *DP.* —— *The* LP. appointed Mr. Grey *on* ſaturday.

On ſaturday the Judges met at the Exchequer chamber, and choſe their ſeveral circuits.

Midland circuit.	*Weſtern circuit.*
Lord Hardwicke.	Mr. Baron Carter.
Mr. Juſtice Denton.	Mr. Baron Thomſon.
Norfolk circuit.	*Northern circuit.*
Lord Chief Juſtice Reeve.	Mr. Juſtice Lee.
Lord Ch. Baron Reynolds.	Mr. Baron Forteſcue.
Home circuit.	*Oxford circuit.*
Mr. Juſtice Page.	Mr. Juſtice Probyn.
Mr. Juſt. Forteſcue Aland.	Mr. Baron Comyns. *DP.* &c.

Yeſterday being the firſt ſunday in Trinity Term, the Judges went in their ſcarlet robes to hear divine ſervice at S. Paul's, where a ſermon was preach'd by the rev. Mr. Huggot. *DP.* —— Higgot. *DA.*

On friday ſome perſons found means to convey away from the Fleet-priſon in a hamper, Mr. Perrin, a farmer in Kent, a priſoner there; a caſe pretty near reſembling that of one Gadbury, who made his eſcape about 3 years ago in a cheſt. *LP.* —— Mr. Conundrum *ſays, that if* Mr. Perrin *be taken, he will be* hampered *in another manner.*

Married, laſt ſaturday, Dan. Boone, Eſq; to Miſs Evelin, a young Lady of fine accompliſhments, and a fortune of 15,000 l. and 800 l. per ann. *DP.* —— A treaty of marriage is agreed on, between Dan. Boone, Eſq; &c. *DA.* —— *The* DA. *of tueſday* married *them on* monday.

Died, on friday, at Barnet, Charles Calvert, of Tredegar in the county of Monmouth, Eſq; a gentleman of 2000 l. a year. *DJ.*

On ſaturday, the body of a child about 3 years old, neatly dreſs'd, but full of wounds, was found in a basket in the pond between Highgate and Hampſtead. *DJ.* — Yeſterday a labouring man was found hanging in Canewood between Hampſtead and Highgate. *LP.*

TUESDAY, *June* 29. We hear, that the right hon. the Earl of Thomond will put in his claim to the title of a Marquis of Great Britain, founded upon a patent from King Charles I. conſtituting one of his Lordſhip's anceſtors Marquis of Bining in England. *LP. G.*

John Garth, Eſq; warden of the Fleet, has appointed Mr. Dan. Hopkins to be his deputy. *DA.*

The hon. Will. Pulteney, Eſq; hath wrote from Leyden, that he is perfectly recover'd by the aſſiſtance of Dr. Boerhaave, and deſigns to ſet out for England the firſt opportunity. *LP.*

On friday 9 bakers were convicted before the right hon. the Lord Mayor, for ſelling bread at a higher price than ſet by the Lord Mayor, &c. by which they forfeited 10 s. each to the informer. *DA.*

Norwich, *June* 26. Laſt week a young woman at Woolton murder'd her baſtard child, and crouded it into a copper-hole in order to burn it to aſhes, but it was diſcover'd and taken out before quite dead. *DP.*

Died on ſaturday, at Roehampton, Mr. Norris Nicols, an eminent Italian merchant. *DA.* —— Yeſterday near Vaux-hall, in his 106th year, Mr. Tho. Draymaa, formerly a ſurgeon in the royal navy. *DJ.*

On ſaturday one Rays, a boy about 15, at South-hill near Uxbridge, being ſent with a horſe to the farriers, ſet himſelf on the bench, having the bridle twiſted round his arm: when the horſe took fright at ſome noiſy fellows, and dragging the boy near half a mile, diſlocated his arm, and daſhed his brains out. *DJ.*——Laſt ſunday ſe'nnight one Will. Warren, a ſhepherd of Snetſham was kill'd by a bull, as he was going to look after his ſheep: the bull ran his horn into his lower jaw and into his ſkull. *LP. G.*

On ſunday the ſon of Mr. Benj. Panton of Chelſea was drowned as he was waſhing between Chelſea and Fulham. *DJ.* —— Yeſterday morning a waterman and his wife paſſing through bridge, he ſtav'd his boat againſt the ſterlings, and the woman was drown'd. *DP.*

WEDNESDAY, *June* 30. His Grace the Duke of Devonſhire is declared Lord lieutenant of Ireland. —— And we hear, that his Majeſty has been pleaſed to nominate the Duke of Chandos to be Lord ſteward of the houſhold, in the room of the Duke of Devonſhire. *DP.* —— To appoint Lieutenant general Sutton to be captain and colonel of the ſecond troop of horſe granadier guards, in the room of the hon. Brigadier general Berkely, deceaſed. —— And the Earl of Crawford to ſucceed General Sutton in his regiment of foot. *DJ. G.*

Yeſterday the hon. Tho Harvey, Eſq; 2d ſon to the Earl of Briſtol, went to Kenſington and reſigned his place of Equerry to her Majeſty. *LP.*

His Grace the Duke of St. Albans hath given New-lodge in Windſor foreſt, to his brother the Lord Harry Beauclerk for his reſidence. *LP.*

We hear the Lady of the Lord Archibald Hamilton is made privy purſe to the Princeſs of Wales. *G.*

Fifteen couple of fox hounds bought of Mr. Baptiſt Nun of Windſor foreſt, were lately ſent over as a preſent to the King of France. *LP.*

Yeſterday, at a court held at Guildhall, Will. Rous and Benj. Rawlings, Eſqrs; gave bond to ſerve the office of Sheriffs. *DP. DA. LP.*

It having been reported to the Lord Mayor, &c. that it was impoſſible for Malden to make his eſcape through the common-ſewer, yeſterday a chimney-ſweeper, bigger than Malden, went down, and in a little more than an hour got out at Black-fryars. *DP.* —— In about 2 hours. *DA.*

On thurſday, being Midſummer-day, there was an annual meeting of the governors of the Charter-houſe, at which was preſent the Lord Chancellor, the Duke of Dorſet, &c. when 4 ſcholars on the foundation were ordered for the Univerſity, and 3 put out apprentices to trades. *LP.*

We hear from Tunbridge, that on monday there was one of the moſt violent Storms of Rain that was even-

known; it continued upwards of an hour, filled ſeveral houſes with water up to the ſecond and third ſtories, and a young infant in its cradle was carried by the torrent out of one of the houſes and with great difficulty ſaved. *DA.* ——— Mr. Conundrum *takes this to be a double and treble* ſtory.

Married, laſt monday, Will. Osborne of Peterſham, Eſq; to Miſs Vernon, a beautiful young lady with a conſiderable fortune. *DP.*

Died, on ſunday, of the gout at Loughton, near Epping foreſt, Ralph Selby, Eſq; formerly an Eaſt India Captain worth 100,000 *l.* *DP.* —On monday. *DJ.* — On monday, at Great Hambden in Buckinghamſhire, Mrs. Bradbury, late wife of the Rev. Mr. Peter Bradbury, Her firſt husband was Ric. Hamden, Eſq; *DP. LP.* — Mr. Farmer, ſteward of Guy's Hoſpital. *DP. DA. LP. G.* —Laſt night. *DJ.*

From the PEGASUS *in Grub-ſtreet.*

THO' the abuſe of every Profeſſion deſerves to be expoſed, yet no lawful Profeſſion is in itſelf a juſt ſubject of ridicule and reproach. And as ſeveral perſons of the three learned Profeſſions have been, and are great ornaments of our Society, it is not only unjuſt, but unnatural, for any one of our Members to endeavour to expoſe another, merely on the account of his Profeſſion. To prevent which treatment, it is thought proper to publiſh the two following tender Animadverſions upon two of our Brethren, who have lately fallen very unjuſtly upon two Clergymen, ſolely for their Profeſſion, or their ſtation in it, and might otherwiſe be ſo unnatural as to fall upon ſome of their own brethren on the ſame account.

About a month ago, there was a ſtory in ſeveral Newspapers concerning the burial of the body of Samuel Baldwin, Eſq; in the Sea, 'whoſe leaden coffin being 'made full big, and filled up with bran, ſwam, which occaſioned various conjectures among the ſuperſtitious; 'but being taken up, and ſeveral holes bored in it, to let 'in the water, it ſunk.' ——— Our brother *Fog*, who gives us weekly a new Edition of a few ſelect articles of News with many *alterations* and large *additions* in relating this ſtory, in his *Journal May* 29, adds, that 'the 'Clergyman, who attended the funeral, was going to 'try his skill at *Exorciſing*; but a Tradeſman preſent, 'who had a little more *Philoſophy* and leſs *Superſtition*, 'ordered the Coffin to be taken up, and ſeveral holes 'bored in it, &c.' ——— The circumſtances relating to the *Exerciſing Clergyman*, and the *Philoſophic Tradeſman*, we attribute to the extraordinary invention of our brother, and not to any particular information he had received; if he has received any ſuch, let him produce it; otherwiſe whatever opinion we may entertain of his wit, we ſhall have as little of his veracity, as of his *Philoſophy*, in attributing the ſinking of the Coffin to the *weight added to the Bran* by *moiſtening* it.

Our brother, the author of the *London Daily Poſt*, in his Paper of *monday* laſt, giving an account of the late Mr. John Sharp a Popiſh Prieſt, ſays, that 'his father was very uneaſy at his Son's going 'to change his religion, and applied to Dr. *Lupton*, then 'Lecturer of S. Dunſtan's in the Weſt, told him the 'danger his ſon was in from ſome Popiſh Prieſts, and 'deſir'd he would talk to him: the Doctor (*like a true 'dignified Clergyman*) told him, *It was not his buſineſs, 'he had not the cure of ſouls*, and he muſt apply to Mr. 'Jenks then Vicar, a very honeſt man, tho' no great 'ſcholar, and very unequal to the task: ſo the poor man, 'getting no body to his Son, and the Prieſts being very 'buſy, they gain'd him over to their religion, &c.'—— According to this account, *a true dignified Clergyman* has no regard to the ſouls of men: a fine character of the Dignitaries, and as fine a compliment to his Majeſty, who makes moſt of them ſuch? —— This orthodox *Doctor*, acted, it ſeems, *like a true dignified Clergyman*, in declining all care of this perſon's ſoul, and referring it to the care of a Divine, whom he knew to be *no great ſcholar, and unequal to the task.* This he muſt neceſſarily know, at leaſt, as well as this *poor man* the *father*, (a *cobler* and *bell-man*) who, being thus diſappointed, is here repreſented, as thinking it not worth while to *apply to Mr. Jenks*, or to any other Clergyman. So *getting no body to his ſon, and the Prieſts being very buſy*, &c. There ſeems to have been little occaſion that that the *Prieſts* ſhould be VERY *buſy* in order to make a convert whom *no body* endeavoured to ſecure. This ſhews this Hiſtory to be truely Grubean, as to its compoſition; and we muſt conclude it to be ſo, as to its truth, 'till the Hiſtorian produces his authority. —— In ſhort, the whole is highly improbable, and ſeems to be a baſe, falſe and malicious ſcandal raiſed upon the *Doctor*'s memory now many years after his death, by way of revenge for his having ſo ſtrenuouſly vindicated *the eternity of Hell torments* againſt Dr. Tillotſon.

FOREIGN NEWS.

THURSDAY, *June* 24. The Grand Prior of France had given a publick affront to M. de Conflans, ſecretary to the Knights of Malta, who having loſt an arm in the ſervice, was incapable of taking ſatisfaction. The Duke of Orleans, the Grand Prior's brother, could not prevail with him to ask M. de Conflans pardon: upon which, his ſon, the Marquis de Conflans, ſent the Grand Prior a challenge, and in the duel run him through the body. *DA.* ——— Nephew to the Bailly de Conflans of the order of S. John of Jeruſalem: yeſterday's *Paris a-la-main* makes no mention of it. *DP. June* 28.

SATURDAY, *June* 26. We hear that his Pruſſian Majeſty has abſolutely anſwered the Propoſals made to engage him in a Treaty of Alliance, That he could never come into any meaſures till the ſucceſſion of Juliers and Bergue was ſecured to him. *DJ.*

Orders have been ſent to the ports of Spain and America, to continue building of ſhips from 40 to 80 guns; and to Naples to build there as many ſhips as can be poſſibly armed. *DJ.*

The Czarina's army before Aſoph is far advanced in the reduction of that place. General Laſci, being aſleep in his coach at midnight, was ſurrounded by 700 Tartars; but having the dexterity to jump out and mount one of his coach-horſes, eſcaped. —— The Count de Munich has forced the lines of the Cham of Tartary, who had 100,000 l. men. Thoſe lines were 7 miles in length, and had an intrenchment 60 feet high, [16 ells. *G.*] with a ditch 140 feet broad [90 feet wide. *LP.* 48 ells. *G.*] the ſcaling ladders being too ſhort, the Ruſſians clapp'd Chevaux de frize upon one another, and clambered up in the midſt of a ſtorm of darts and arrows. The Ruſſians loſt only a lieutenant, and about 20 private men, and took ſome thouſand priſoners. By this victory all the Crimea is open. *DA.* —— *Theſe* darts and arrows *ſeem to have no* points.

MONDAY, *June* 28 ——— *Hanover, June* 26. His Majeſty has given new proofs of his generoſity in adding 50 crowns a year to the ſalaries of all the officers of his kitchen. *DP.*

The Tuſcans abſolutely refuſe to receive the Marquis de Pallavicini, whom the Emperor would put into the government of Leghorn, becauſe he is a Genoeſe. *DP. DA.*

The Engliſh and Dutch Ambaſſadors went laſt week to Meudon to acknowledge King Stanislaus, as King of Poland, &c. *DJ. DA. LP.*

By the late Convention, all Lombardy, the Milaneſe, &c. ſhould be evacuated on or before the 20th inſt. N. S. yet the French, Sardinians, and Spaniards continue in poſſeſſion; nor is Fort Kehl or Philipsburg yet deliver'd. *DA.*

TUESDAY, *June* 29. The advices from Italy mention a battle in Corſica; but the ſucceſs is differently related from different places. They publiſh at Genoa, that the governor of Baſtia made a ſally, and forced the rebels to retire precipitately into the mountains: but from Leghorn it is written, that the rebels repuls'd the Genoeſe, and poſſeſs'd themſelves of a mountain which entirely commands the town. *DA.* &c.

Count Munich has left Precop block'd up, and is advancing to attack Baccieſaray, the capital of Crim Tartary, and the reſidence of the Cham. *DA.* &c.

WEDNESDAY, *June* 30. They write from Peterſbourg, that the Veldt-Marſhal Count Munich, in the late engagement with the Tartars, had taken 70 pieces of cannon, the Cham's tent, 2 of his coaches, and all his baggage. *DP. G.* ——— Neither Count Munich nor general Lacy were ever ſince able to go upon any other enterprize, becauſe the enemy in their retreat, have quite deſtroyed the country, and even burnt up the graſs. *DJ.*

A body of 16,000 Turks going to reinforce the Ottoman army in Perſia, has been intercepted and cut to pieces by Kouli Kan. *DJ.*

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